

**Motor Vehicle Traffic Safety Facts, Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania****Trend of Fatalities, 1997-2001**

		1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Fatality Counts	Total Fatalities	149	104	133	122	120
	Alcohol-Related	53	40	57	57	43
	Single Vehicle	68	60	83	63	74
	Non-Junction	77	54	71	56	66
	Intersection	64	43	49	50	49
	Intersection-Related	3	3	3	9	1
	Speeding Involved	9	10	27	16	29
	Pedestrians	35	27	34	39	32
	Pedalcyclists	3	3	4	2	3
	Large Truck Involved	12	14	8	6	4
	Roadway Departure	48	34	54	36	45
	Passenger Car Occupants	83	50	66	53	54
	Light Truck/Van Occupants	15	13	11	8	12
	Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	0	2	1	3	1
	Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	98	65	78	64	67
	Motorcycle Riders	13	9	17	17	18

Source: Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS) Files

**Passenger Vehicle Occupant Deaths (age 5+)
By Restraint Use, 2001**

Fatalities	Total	Restrained	Unrestrained	Unknown
2001	62	10	27	25

**Motorcyclist Rider Deaths (age 5+)
By Helmet Use, 2001**

Fatalities	Total	Helmeted	Unhelmeted	Unknown
2001	18	3	12	3

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Fatalities, Fatality Rates per 100,000 Population and Ranks Within State, 2001

	2001			
	Fatalities	Rank Within State	Fatality Rate	Rank Within State
Total Fatalities	120	1	8.01	65
Alcohol-Related	43	1	2.87	61
Single Vehicle	74	1	4.94	55
Non-Junction	66	2	4.40	65
Intersection	49	1	3.27	22
Intersection-Related	1	7	0.07	8
Speeding Involved	29	2	1.94	64
Pedestrians	32	1	2.14	16
Pedalcyclists	3	1	0.20	10
Large Truck Involved	4	20	0.27	47
Roadway Departure	45	2	3.00	64
Passenger Car Occupants	54	2	3.60	61
Light Truck/Van Occupants	12	6	0.80	59
Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	1	25	0.07	30
Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	67	2	4.47	66
Motorcycle Riders	18	1	1.20	26

Rank =1 indicates Highest Number of Fatalities or Fatality Rate in State.